





The PDS4 Information Model and its Role in Agile Science Data Curation

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PDS4 Overview

- PDS4 is an information model-driven service architecture
 - Supports the capture, management, distribution and integration of massive planetary science data captured in distributed data archives world-wide.
- The PDS4 Information Model (IM) is the core element of the architecture
 - Developed using lessons learned from 20 years of archiving Planetary Science Data
 - Used accepted standards for information model development
 - Open Archival Information System (OAIS) Reference Model (ISO 14721)
 - Metadata Registry Specification (ISO/IEC 11179)
 - W3C XML (Extensible Markup Language) specifications.

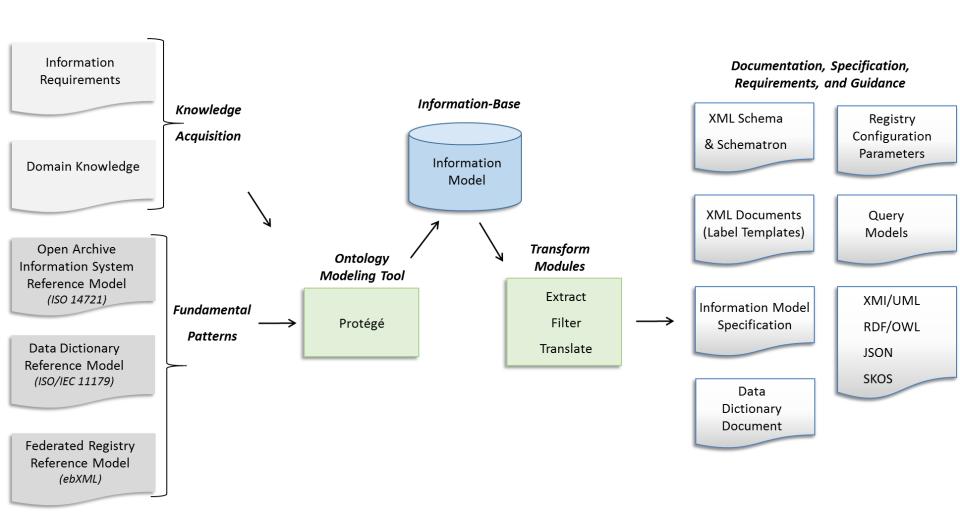


PDS4 Overview

- The PDS4 Information model is unique in that it drives the PDS4 infrastructure
 - Provides the representation of concepts and their relationships, constraints, rules, and operations
 - Provides a sharable, stable, and organized set of information requirements
 - Provides machine parsable definitions that are suitable for configuring software and services and generating code.



PDS4 Information Model (IM)

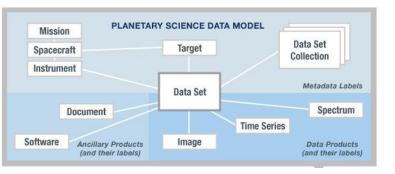




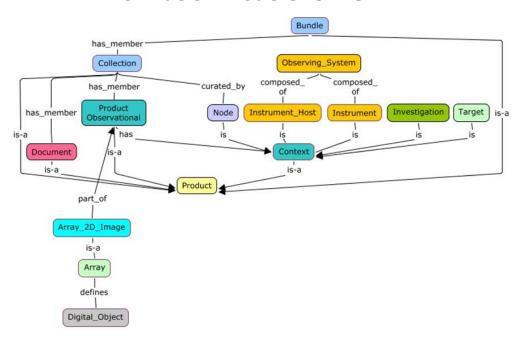
View Points

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Community's View



Information Modeler's View



Repository View

Product

Tagged Data Object (Information Object)

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Data Object



PDS and Agile Data Curation

- PDS4 was developed with agile data curation¹ principles in mind.
 - adaptive planning
 - early delivery
 - evolutionary development
 - continuous improvement
 - rapid and flexible response to change
 - maintain the value of the data over time

Young et al., Taking Another Look at the Data Management Life Cycle: Deconstruction, Agile, and Community, AGU 2014, Adopted from Agile Software Concepts, Manifesto for Agile Software Development, http://agilemanifesto.org/

Information Model Roles

- Requirements: The IM is the primary source for PDS information requirements.
- Governance: A multi-level governance scheme reduces the impact of change as the science community grows and evolves.
- Configuration: Extracts from the IM are used to configure tools and services
- Semantics: The IM provides named relationships to support semantic technologies
- Usability: PDS4 has been assessed that it is able to maintain the value of its data over time
- Interoperability: The PDS4 Standards have been adopted by the International Planetary Science Community



Requirements

- The PDS4 Information Model is the single authoritative source for writing PDS4 documents and standards
 - Concepts Document
 - PDS4 Standards Reference
 - PDS4 Data Providers Handbook
 - XML Schema, Schematron, and XML documents for product label creation and validation
- Initial drafts of the Information Model were available repeatedly during the development cycle for review, comment, and testing.
- Operational versions and point builds are available after Change Control Board approval and Integration and Test
 - Builds currently occur every 6 months.
- Adaptive planning, Early delivery, Continuous improvement, Rapid and flexible response to change

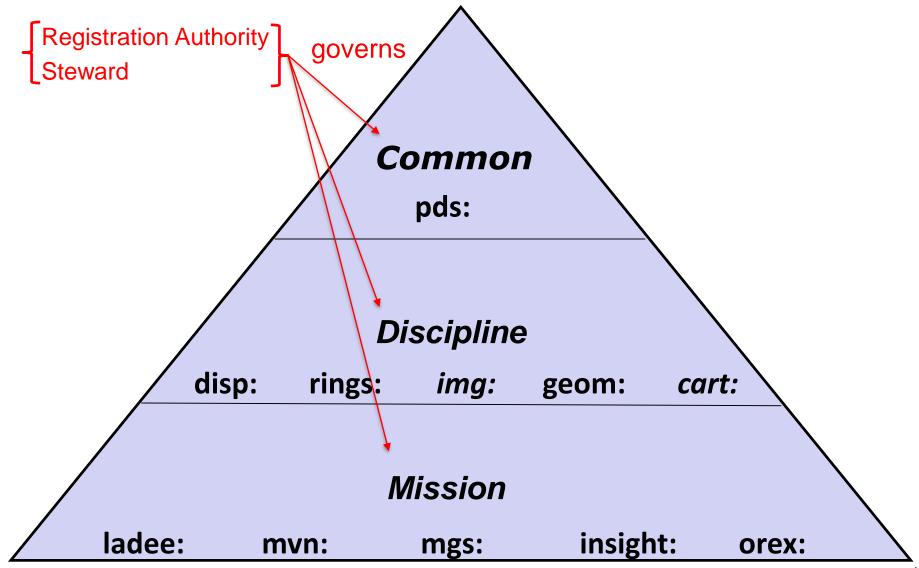


Multi-level Governance

- The PDS4 Information Model is partitioned into dictionaries (sub-models), each managed by a steward
 - A single Common dictionary provides a stable foundation
 - Several Discipline dictionaries provide relatively stable "domains of discourse" for science disciplines within the community.
 - Many Project dictionaries provide local and relatively stable "domains of discourse" for each project/mission.
- <u>Evolutionary development</u>
 - The information components of the system can evolve independently and at a different speed than the technology components

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Multi-level Governance





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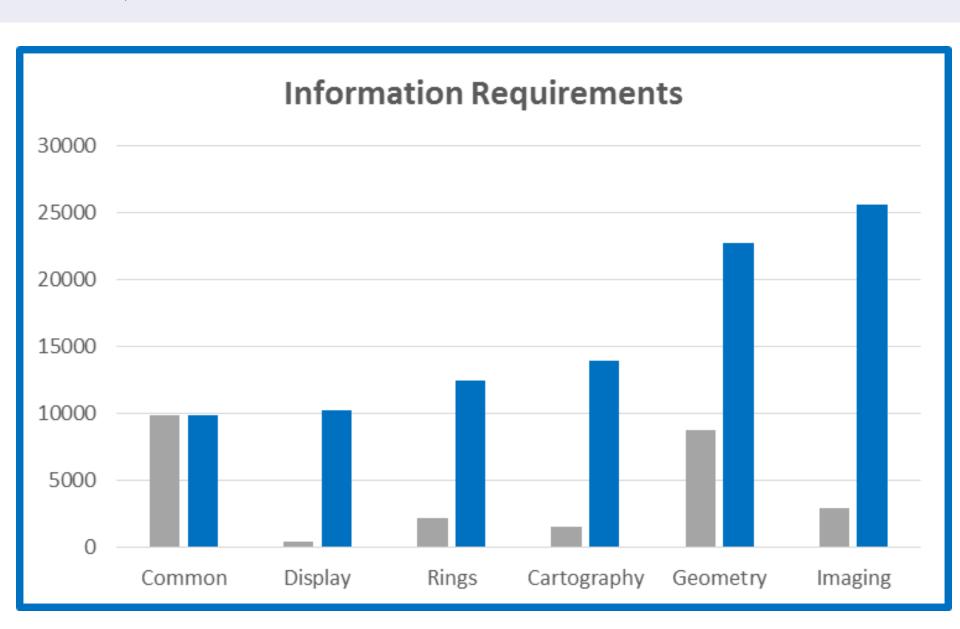
Model Components Common, Discipline and Mission Dictionaries

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Common and Discipline Dictionaries

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System Configuration

- Software and services are designed to respond to the information model.
 - Label Design
 - Label Generation
 - Label Validation
 - Registry configuration
 - Harvest and Search Query Models
 - Terminological mapping service
 - Data Analytics
- Rapid and flexible response to change
- Continuous improvement



Semantic Technologies

- Under PDS4 all registry objects are first class products.
 - All products have a Persistent Identifier (PID)
 - Products are used to describe data objects
 - E.g., data, documents, people, software, and contextual objects.
 - Product are inter-related with named relationships (semantics)
- PDS has a pilot to obtain Digital Object Identifiers (DOIs) for its data collections.
- Evolutionary development
 - Named relationships can be added to improve the semantic content



Maintain the Value of the Data Over Time

- A desk assessment of PDS4 against ISO 16363¹, the instrument for assessing a repository against the OAIS Reference Model², found that 92% of the metrics of the ISO 16363 standard were satisfied
 - 80% of the metrics for Governance and Organizational Viability
 - 95% of the metrics for Digital Object Management
 - 96% of the metrics for Infrastructure and Security Risk Management.
- Maintain the value of the data over time

¹ ISO 16363:2012 (CCSDS 652.0-R-1) Audit and certification of trustworthy digital repositories ² ISO 14721:2012 (CCSDS 650.0-P-1.1) Open archival information system (OAIS) -- Reference model



International Collaboration on PDS4 Through IPDA





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BepiColombo (ESA/JAXA)

Mars 2020 (NASA)

Psyche (NASA)



InSight (NASA)

JUICE (ESA)

Europa (NASA)

Hyabusa-2 (JAXA)

Chandrayaan-2 (ISRO) Lucy NASA

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Summary

- PDS4 was developed with agile data curation principles in mind.
- The PDS4 IM provides a sharable, stable, and organized structure of information requirements
 - adaptive planning
 - early delivery
 - evolutionary development
 - continuous improvement
 - rapid and flexible response to change
 - maintain the value of the data over time
- The PDS4 Information Model and Standards are being used successfully across the International Planetary Science Community.



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Questions and Answers

PDS homepage: https://pds.nasa.gov/

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Backup



Usable Information

Definitions for:

- data structure (format)
- science interpretation of the data
- context within which the data was captured, processed, and archived
- relationships between the data
- Expert knowledge from each of the science disciplines.
- Single authoritative source for the data standards.
- Drives the PDS4 infrastructure by providing:
 - A sharable, stable, and organized structure of information requirements.
 - Formal definitions that are suitable for configuring and generating code.
- Implementation agnostic



Information Model Overview

Developed using:

- lessons learned from 20 years worth of archiving
- best practices for information model development
- Foundational principles adopted from:
 - Open Archival Information System (OAIS) Reference Model ISO 14721 - Foundational Principles
 - ISO/IEC 11179 Volume 3 Metadata Registry Specification -Hierarchy of data dictionaries and governance model.
 - W3C XML (Extensible Markup Language) Rules for encoding documents electronically.
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 - the representation of concepts and their relationships, constraints, rules, and operations
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 - formal definitions that are suitable for configuring and generating code.



Definitions

- "An information model is a representation of concepts, relationships, constraints, rules, and operations to specify data semantics for a chosen domain of discourse." 1
- It provides a sharable, stable, and organized structure of information requirements or knowledge for the domain context.

¹ Lee, Y. T. 1999. Information Modeling: From Design To Implementation. In Proceedings of the Second World Manufacturing Congress, ed. S. Nahavandi and M. Saadat, 315-321. Canada/Switzerland: International Computer Science Conventions.